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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Submitted herewith are

- ~ Amendment (11 pages including this Transmittal); and
- ~ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any needed fees to deposit account 50-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the July 26, 2004 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office regarding the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action is due three months, excluding weekends and federal holidays, from the mailing date thereof. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed. Please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.